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Sir:

If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with the following communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 25-0115.

In response to Office Action dated August 16, 2006, please make the amendments shown in the attached papers in this application in the:

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